

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Rabello
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PETITION TO ACCEPT MISSING PAGE

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Sir:

Applicant, Billy Rabello, filed the above-referenced patent application for a Dog Leash Handle on October 23, 2003 , but received the enclosed Notice of Omitted Items indicating that it appeared that Figures 4, 5, 6 & 7 (sheet 3 of 3 sheets of drawings) were omitted from the application. Applicant is submitting: (1) a copy of the postcard receipt indicating *inter alia* that 15 pages of the specification and 3 sheets of drawings were mailed to and received by the USPTO; (2) a copy of the Utility Application Transmittal also indicating *inter alia* that the specification and two sheets of drawings were sent; (3) the third sheet of drawings which include

Figures 4, 5, 6, & 7. ;(4) a copy of the Notice of Omitted Items; and (5) payment of the \$130 petition fee.

Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for Patents to accept the missing sheet of drawings. Applicant encloses a credit card payment form authorizing the USPTO to charge Applicant's attorney for the \$130 petition fee, but under the circumstances, respectfully requests that the fee be waived or refunded to the Applicant's attorney.

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